(b) whether it is also a fact that China has increased the export duty on coal used by Indian steel manufactures;

(c) if so, to what extent it has affected the cost of production;

(d) whether Government have engaged Chinese entities to resolve the issue; and

(e) if so, the outcome thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (DR. AKHILESH DAS): (a) to (e) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

I. Report (1998-99) of the National Commission for Minorities, New Delhi and related papers.

II. Report of the Prime Minister's High Level Committee on Social Economic and Educational Status of the Muslim Community of India and related papers.

THE MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS (SHRI A.R. ANTULAY) Sir, I lay on the Table—

I. (1) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under section 13 of the National Commission for Minorities Act, 1992:

(a) Sixth Annual Report of the National Commission for Minorities, New Delhi, for the year 1998-99.

(b) Review by Government on the Working of the above Commission.

(c) Action Taken Memorandum on the recommendations contained in the above Report of the Commission.

(2) Statement (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above. [Placed in Library, *See* No. LT-6588/07]

II. A copy each of the following papers:

(i) Report* (in Hindi) of the Prime Minister's High Level Committee (headed by Justice Rajender Sachar) on social Economic and Educational status of the Muslim Community of India.

(ii) Statement (in English and Hindi) regarding laying of Hindi version of the above Report. [Placed in Library, *See* No. LT-6590/07]

I. Notifications of the Ministry of Power.

II. Budget (2007-08) of the Damodar valley. Corporation, Kolkata.

III. Report and Accounts (2004-05) of DEE, New Delhi and related papers.

IV. MoUs (2007-08) between the Govt. of India and various electric Corporations.

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SHINDE): Sir, I lay on the Table—

I. (i) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Power, under Section 179 of the Electricity Act, 2003:

(1) F.No. 12/X/STD (LONN)/GM/CEA, dated the 9th March, 2007, publishing the Central Electricity Authority (Technical Standards for Connectivity to the Grid) Regulations, 2007.

(2) F.No. 2/2(1)/2006-CERC, dated the 16th March, 2007, publishing the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (Recruitment, Control and Service Conditions of Staff) Regulations. 2007 [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT 6424/07]

(ii) A copy each in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Power, under sub section (1) of section 59 of the Energy Conservation Act, 2001:

(1) G.S.R. 173(E), dated the 5th March, 2007, publishing the Bureau of Energy Efficiency (Form of Annual Statement of Accounts

*English version of the report was laid on the Table on the 30th November, 2006.i.